## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

SERGEI KOVALEV

CIVIL ACTION

V

. : No. 16-6380

:

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, et al.

ORDER

**AND NOW**, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 2017, upon considering Defendants' Motion for summary judgment (ECF Doc. No. 120), Plaintiff's Response (ECF Doc. No. 126), Defendants' Reply (ECF Doc. No. 129) and Plaintiff's sur-reply granted upon leave (ECF Doc. No. 137), and for reasons in the accompanying Memorandum, it is **ORDERED** Defendants' Motion (ECF Doc. No. 120) is **GRANTED** in part and **DENIED** in part:

- Defendants' Motion is **DENIED** as to Plaintiff's First Amendment claims for retaliation based on the false reporting of Defendants Weiss and Kennedy <u>only</u> and these claims will proceed to trial;
- 2. Defendants' Motion is **GRANTED** as to all other claims as there are no genuine issues of material fact and judgment, as a matter of law, must be entered in favor of Defendants on all remaining claims; and,
  - 3. Defendant City of Philadelphia and Sheriff Brown are **DISMISSED**.

KEARNEÝ, J.